GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Health, Medical & Family Welfare Department – The Surrogacy (Regulation) Act, 2021(Act No.47 of 2021) - Constitution of District Medical Board for Surrogacy - Orders -Issued.

HEALTH, MEDICAL AND FAMILY WELFARE (E2) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.183 **Dated:08.07.2022**

Read the following:-

1. The Surrogacy (Regulation) Act, 2021.
2. From the Commissioner of Health & Family Welfare/ Chairperson, Multi Member State Appropriate Authority (PC & PNDT), A.P., Mangalagiri, Lr.Rc.No.HMF04/3/2022-PC & PNDT SEC-CHFW, dt.7.3.2022 & dt.20.04.2022.
3. G.O.Ms.No.181, HM&FW(E2) Department, Dated.08.07.2022.

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O R D E R:

In the circumstances reported by the Commissioner, Health & Family Welfare, AP., in the reference 2nd read above, Government have decided to constitute the District Medical Board for Surrogacy.

2. Accodingly, in view of the Explanation under section 4 (3) (a) (1) of the Surrogacy (Regulation) Act, 2021, Government hereby constitute the District Medical Board for Surrogacy consisting with the following members:-

District Medical Board for Surrogacy:

Sl. No.	Officer	Designation
a	The District Medical and Health Officer	Chairman/Chairperson
b	HoD of Gynaecology and OBG Departtment(nominated by the Dist.Collector & DM&HO)	Members
c	HoD of Paediatric Department(nominated by the Dist.Collector & DM&HO)	Members

Terms and conditions:

1. The Districts Medical Board shall meet once in a month.
2. Even though the intervening period of each meeting shall be one month, depending upon the situation, necessity and during emergency arises, the special meeting shall be convened by the authority.

Functions :

a) District Medical Board issue a certificate of a medical indication in favour of either or both members of the intending couple or intending woman necessitating gestational surrogacy.
b) such other powers as may be prescribed by the State Board for surrogacy or Central Board for surrogacy.

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3. The Commissioner of Health and Family Welfare, A.P., Mangalagiri shall take further necessary action in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

MUDDADA RAVI CHANDRA
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Commissioner of Health & Family Welfare, A.P., Mangalagiri and Chairperson/ Chairman State Appropriate for PC&PNDT Act.
All the members in State Advisory Committee through Commissioner of Health & Family Welfare, A.P.,Mangalagiri.
All Collectors & District Magistrates in the State.
All the District Medical & Health Officers in the State.
Copy to:
The Joint Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Nirman Bhavan, New Delhi.
The Director of Medical Education, A.P., Vijayawada.
The Director of Public Health and family Welfare, A.P, Vijayawada.
The Commissioner of A.P. Vaidhya Vidhana Parishad, Vijayawada.
The Department for Women, Children, Differently Abled and Senior Citizens, A.P. Secretariat.
The Social Welfare Department, A.P. Secretariat.
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The Registrar, Acharya Nagarjuna University A.P, Guntur.
The P.S. to Hon'ble Minister (HFW&ME)
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The Commissioner, Information and Public Relations, A.P., Vijayawada.
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